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- 2. Response to Notice to File Missing Parts of NonProvisional Application
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- Fee Transmittal for FY 2005
- 5. Declaration and Power of Attorney for Patent Application (13 pgs)
- 6. Recordation Form Cover Sheet Patents Only
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- > Notice to File Missing Parts of Application, Filing Date Granted, mailed 01/11/2005;
- Declaration and Power of Attorney for inventor, Michele Goodwin, Eric Guinee, and Ronan Le Guen, signature dated 6/29/2004; 6/15,2004; and 6/15/2004; and
- > Assignment and Recordation Cover Sheet for inventor, Michele Goodwin, Eric Guinee, and Ronan Le Guen, signature dated 6/29/2004; 6/15/2004 and 6/15/2004.

Applicants respectfully request that the filing date of 12/31/2003 be granted for this application.

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Respectfully submitted,

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